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More of your
favourite LEGO
Club items plus
special cool offers
for this issue



Meet champion
racing driver
Damon Hill and
win a top notch prize!



PIRATES

"Full speed ahead for the secret hideout at Skull Harbour!"

said the pirate Captain Roger on board his ship, the **Marauder**.

Their cargo was gold stolen from the Imperial Armada's Treasure Outpost, but the Armada's newest ship, the **Santa Cruz** was in pursuit.

"We'll have the gold hidden before they can catch us!" said Captain Roger.

But on the **Santa Cruz**, Captain Valiant had a plan. "Hoist a flag to signal Soldier's Outpost!" he ordered.

At the outpost, near Skull Harbour, Sergeant Speedy sprang into action.

"A message to follow the **Marauder**!"

Captain Roger didn't spot Sergeant Speedy landing at Skull Harbour just after the **Marauder**.

"Down with the skull and crossbones, and up with the Imperial pennant!" said the Sergeant, as he swapped the harbour's flags. "This will signal **Santa Cruz**. Now scupper the **Marauder**!"

A load of heavy barrels hung from the harbour crane.

"One slash of my cutlass, and these barrels will topple the mast!" he said, as the load crashed into the **Marauder**.

It was then that the **Santa Cruz** appeared on the horizon.

"The harbour's discovered! C the gold into the rowing boat," said Captain Roger. "We can hide on Shipwreck Island!"

Before Captain Valiant could catch them, the pirates escaped. The **Santa Cruz** cannot rest while Roger and his buccaneers roam the seas!

"Hoist a flag to signal Soldier's Outpost!"

Just some of the special features on the **Marauder**...



PIRATES COMPETITION

Design your own pirate flag and send it into us. You could win first prize of the LEGO Pirate Ship **Marauder** (6289).

Ten runners-up will each receive a LEGO Pirates **Skeleton Island** (6254).

Send your Pirate flags in an envelope addressed to:

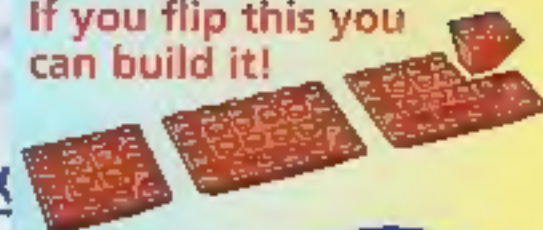
Pirates Competition, The LEGO Club, Wrexham LL13 7TQ
(Please don't include any other correspondence in your envelope)

Closing date: 31st July 1996

The flag used by most pirates was the skull and crossbones, usually called the 'Jolly Roger'. Some captains, however, had their own flags so that everyone could see whose ship it was. The different flags of some famous pirates are shown in the panel opposite.



If you flip this you can build it!



Step 1

Flip N' Build

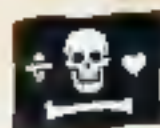
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"Down with the skull and crossbones, and up with the imperial pennant!"

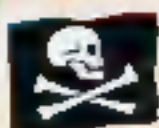
"One slash of my cutlass, and these barrels will topple the mast!"

joke

What lives at the bottom of the sea and shakes?



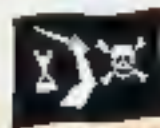
STEDE BONNET



HENRY EVERY



THOMAS JEW



CHRISTOPHER MOODY



'CALICO JACK' RACKHAM



BLACKBEARD

ANSWER:

A nervous wreck!

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RACING TO THE TOP!

In an exclusive interview, Bricks 'n' Pieces talks to top British motor racing driver Damon Hill and gets the low-down on what it takes to make a champion.



"Hey Damon, is the race over?"

Bricks 'n' Pieces: How old were you when you first drove a car?

Damon Hill: I was only five, but it wasn't in anything as fast as the Williams Renault FW18 I drive now!

B&P: How does your car compare with the LEGO Formula 1 racing car?

DH: The LEGO car is really cool, it looks similar to my full-size Formula 1 racer!

B&P: How fast does your car go?

DH: The Williams-Renault has a top speed of over 200 miles per hour - nearly as fast as the LEGO racer!

B&P: Wow! That's really fast! What's it like to travel at that speed?

DH: Going fast is one of the best feelings in the world. It's fantastic! The G-force* is like being thrown about on a roller coaster.

B&P: Did you always want to be a racing driver?

DH: I started out racing motor bikes. The cars didn't come until later.

B&P: What's your favourite food?

DH: Pasta - lots of it! It's full of carbohydrate which is great for training.

B&P: Talking about training - what exercise do you take?



DH: Behind the wheel, about three days training a month during the season - which is pretty exhausting! Otherwise, I do something every day - either running, cycling, weights or train on a rowing machine.

B&P: What do you do in your spare time?

DH: What's spare time? No, seriously, I play golf or make music on my guitar - I've been playing for over 20 years and used to be in a rock band!

B&P: Apart from your late father, Graham Hill, which other Formula 1 drivers do you most admire?

DH: Without doubt, Fangio, Senna and Prost.

B&P: What do you have to do to become a Formula 1 racing driver?

DH: The best way into racing is to start go-karting. There are lots of clubs around and you'll soon see how you handle travelling at speed!

B&P: What are your plans for the future?

DH: I'm launching the Damon Hill Supporters Club this year, and there's a special offer for LEGO Club members who want to join. I also plan to become the next World Champion racing driver!

B&P: Watch out Michael Schumacher, our hero is after your title!

*G-force, or "the force of gravity" is the force which pulls objects downwards onto the ground. People can experience G-force when they travel very fast in sports cars, aeroplanes and spacecraft.



Damon Hill 'Fact File'

Date of Birth: 7th September 1960

Birthplace: Hampstead, London

Lives: Dublin, Irish Republic

Father: Graham Hill, Formula 1 World Champion in 1962 and 1968. Killed in light plane crash in 1975

First drove car: aged five years old

First drove in competition: motorcycle racing in 1979

First racing machine: Yamaha TZ 350 motorcycle

First racing car: Formula Ford 1600 - Van Dlemen RFB4

First Victory: 1984, Brands Hatch in Formula Ford 188 (turbo) at Paul Ricard

First Grand Prix: 1992 - Silverstone, Great Britain, driving a Brabham-Judd BT60B

First Grand Prix victory: 1993 - Hungarian Grand Prix, driving Williams-Renault FW15C

Grand Prix victories: 16

For the record: Between 1982 and 1985 Damon was a motorcycle despatch rider, the money from which helped to fund his racing career.



FORMULA 1 COMPETITION

Win a Formula 1 video and membership to the Damon Hill Supporters Club!

That's right! You could win First Prize in our Formula 1 Competition. You'll also get a **fantastic LEGO Formula 1 Road Transporter (6335)** from the **LEGO Town range** - complete with three Formula 1 racing cars and lots of spare parts!

Five runners-up will receive second prizes of membership to the Damon Hill Supporters Club. And there are



also 25 third prizes of **LEGO Formula 1 racers (6546)**.

Just write your answers to the following questions on a postcard and send it marked **"Formula 1 Competition"** to the LEGO Club at the address on the right. (Don't forget to add your name, address and membership number.)

• LEGO six cylinder engine with working pistons



Step 2

Flip N' Build

Damon Hill supporters club

***Special Offer**
£16.95
(usual price £19.95)

As a member of the LEGO Club you can also join the new Damon Hill Supporters Club for just £16.95.

To become a Supporter, just send your name, address, LEGO Club membership number and a cheque for £16.95 made payable to the Damon Hill Supporter's Club to:

Damon Hill Supporters Club,
P.O.Box 100, Nelson,
Lancashire BD9 8AQ.

What you get:

Damon Hill T-Shirt and Supporters Club cap
Membership card entitling you to special benefits and offers

Quarterly newsletter

Autographed colour picture of Damon Hill
Damon Hill sticker



• Offer applies to active LEGO Club members only.

1. How fast does Damon Hill's car travel?
2. How old is Damon?
3. Who was last year's World Champion Formula 1 racing driver?

Send your entry to:

Formula 1 Competition,
The LEGO Club,
LEGO UK Ltd,
Ruthin Road,
Wrexham LL13 7TQ
Closing date:
31st July, 1996

Remember to use post cards
or sealed down envelopes only!



BUILD YOUR OWN LEGO RACING CAR

HEY! Here's a great idea! You can build your own Racing Car using LEGO bricks from your own collection.

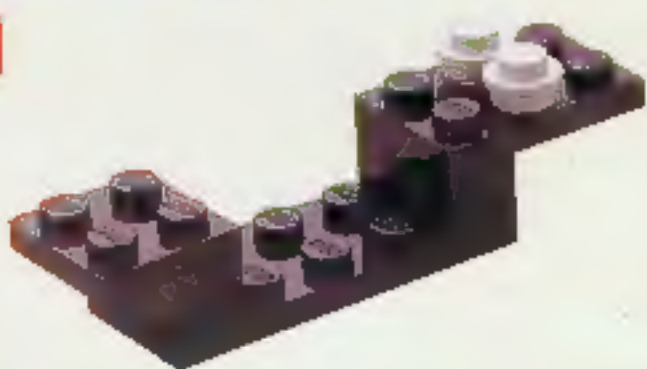
"Now which piece do I start with?"

Follow these simple steps as a basic guide - but don't worry if your model looks different. With a little Imagination, who knows what you can come up with.

joke

What do you call two rows of cabbages?

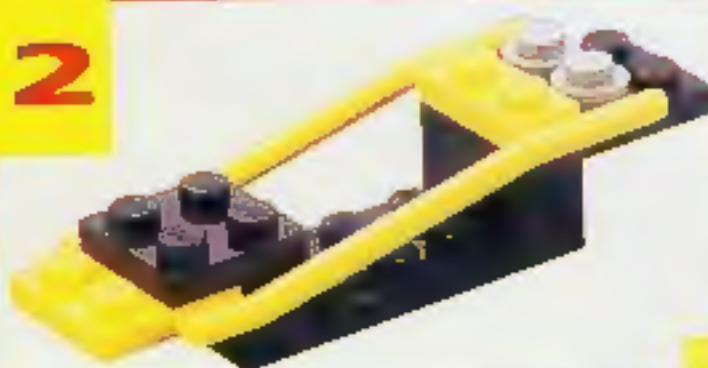
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A dual cabbage way.

ANSWER

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joke

What did the traffic lights say to the car?

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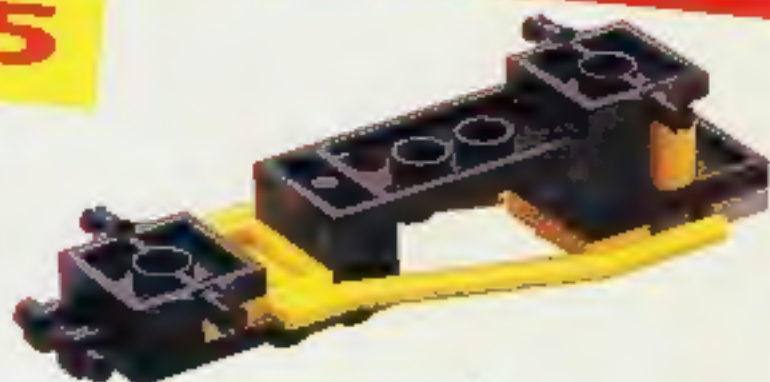
Don't look, I'm changing.

ANSWER

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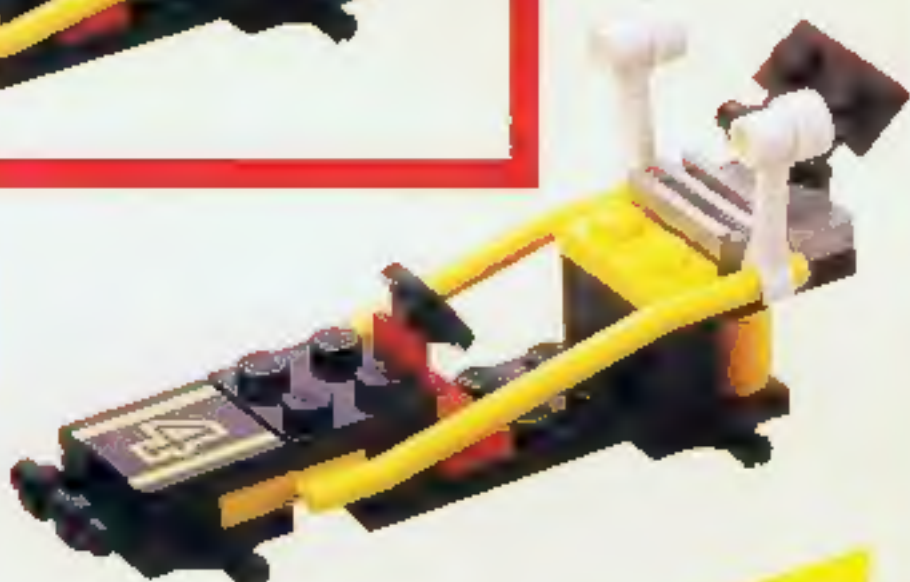
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"Wow! This racing car is fantastic!"



Step 5

Flip N' Build

WALL OF FAME

We are unable to print all the Master Builders photos you send in.

So here's a special mention to all who deserve a pat on the back!

George Ailing, South Yorkshire

Jordan Brown, Crimlington

Ian Gower, Nottingham

Alex Suter, Brighton

James West, Bolton

Liam & Sean Hendrick, Co. Kildare

Aidan Bygrave, Stewarage

Geoffrey Gamble, Louisiana, U.S.A.

Christopher Halliwell, Bedford

Dominic Bending Beckwith, Cambridge

James Dixon, Jersey

James Collinson, Cheshire

Julie Goodman, Cheshire

Christopher Wilcox, Acon

Asan Jayakumar, London

Zachary Burgess, Suffolk

Michael Harris, Reading

Martin S. Duncan Lupton, Harrow

Lucian Wier-Korhonen

Heiden Bridge

Aaron Speria, Dorset

Thomas Morris, Winchester

Richard Mackay, Wiltshire

Jamie Murphy, Isle of Wight

Simon Holloway, Cambridge

Robert Webster, Bolton

Charlie Keeble, Somerset

Ben Newman, Cheshire

Max Barrackough, East Sussex

Guy Richards, Guildford

Richard Jackson, Essex

Gwyn Evans, York

James Bardsley, West Yorkshire

Luke Serby, Leeds

Zaron Pullin, Wiltshire

Katie Coleman, Nottingham

Simon Mansley, London

Sean Power, Essex

Liam Sizer, Essex

David Clements, Essex

Oliver Sutherland, London

Merlin Blossome, Shropshire

Matthew Bradley,

West Glamorgan

Craig Healey, Chesterfield

James Douglas, Kent

Levin Preston, Dorset

Matthew Lobb, Surrey

Clay Garland, Leeds

Christopher John, Swansea

Bruce Jenks, Fife

Gregory Smith, Leicestershire

Matthew Faggiani, Manchester

Shaun Lovatt, Stoke-on-Trent

Paul Hyndes, Bedford

Robert Ferrel, Kent

Dean Frouder, West Midlands

Adrian Brittle Bank,

Leighton Buzzard

Nick Brown, Milton Keynes

John Tait, Kent

Jamie Rowland, Plymouth

Martin Brackles, London

Joel Baker, London

Grant McDonald, Glasgow

Matthew Shelton Jones, Brighton

Samuel Leigh, East Sussex

Peter Jones, Essex

Craig Shadlock, Devon

Simon Elliot, Worcestershire

Takamasa Murayama, Derby

Lee Nicholls, Derbyshire

David Squires, Devon

Berry Nolan, Ireland

Daniel Evans, Shropshire

Malcolm Gill, Galway, Ireland

Sean Brown, Fraserburgh

Paul Whitford, Devon

Poppy Ailing, Swindon

Zeno Delby, West Wiltshire

Oliver Proctor, Preston

David Rainey, Ballymore

Rachel Cox, Devon

Mark Harvey, Cheshire

Nail Archibald, Northampton

joke

What do a
dog and a
tree have in
common?

ANSWER:
Bark!

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PIZZA CO.

There's also an
exclusive Deep Pan
Pizza Co. offer in
the next issue!

Master Builder

Golden Brick Awards

In this issue we highlight some more mean models from brick-crazy builders like you! Why not set your imagination wild and send in pics of your wacky creations to us!

Well done to all of you whose models are seen below - you all win Golden Brick Awards. It's a pity we can't show them all, 'cos you've got some great ideas - keep on building! But remember, your models must be all your own work!

Send a photo of your LEGO Model to:

Master Builder
LEGO Club, LEGO UK,
Wrexham, LL13 7TQ

Remember to include your name, address, age,

Membership Number and model name.

Sorry, pictures cannot be returned.

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This is 'Tiger' and 'Rover', built by Edward Lynch, who is 9 from Leicester



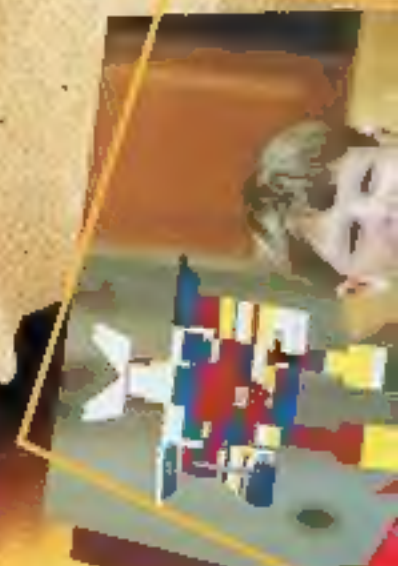
Danny Thomas, aged 5 from Leicestershire, has built a great LEGO Castle. We love the background Danny!



Claire Cursley, who is 4 years old, loves building high towers - these are taller than you Claire!



Steven Dewis



Thomas Corbett, aged 4, has built



from

operate which spin light round, hold on tight!

from Rasingstoke, has made a model of a LEGOLAND drummer. It took 2,500 bricks to build!

built a model of the famous Apollo 13 - well done Steven



Another Golden Brick goes to Alfie Hall, who is only 3 years old, from Essex, for his model of a LEGO Catavani!



Matthew Grady, from Blackburn, has built a model of Blackpool Tower after he visited it recently!



Jack Roberts, from Leicestershire, has built a Winter Siege of the LEGO Castle. Well done Jack!



Peter Daruvula, who's 6 from Surrey, has sent a photo of his Super Rocket. He says it goes really fast!



Wayne Morton, who's 6 from Cleveland, has built a LEGO castle with its own catapult, which even fire's LEGO bricks!



Have you heard about crocodiles' favourite card game?

Woke

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ANSWER

Idios



Adventures in space

THE LEGO ADVENTURER CONTINUES TO FOLLOW JAILBREAK JOE WHO HAS HIJACKED A SPACE SHUTTLE. THE ADVENTURER CHASES JOE IN ANOTHER SHUTTLE TOWARDS THE PLANET UNITRON.



...AND SUDDENLY THE SHUTTLE ENTERS A DANGEROUS METEORITE SHOWER.

WOW! GETTING THROUGH THAT METEOR SHOWER TOOK SOME FANCY FLYING.



GOOD THING I'M ON UNITRON SAFELY

MEANWHILE, JAILBREAK JOE IS HAVING PROBLEMS OF HIS OWN ABOVE UNITRON.

BLASH! I'M OUTTA FUEL! IT LOOKS LIKE THIS IS A CRASH LANDING!



HEY ED! DID YOU HEAR THAT?

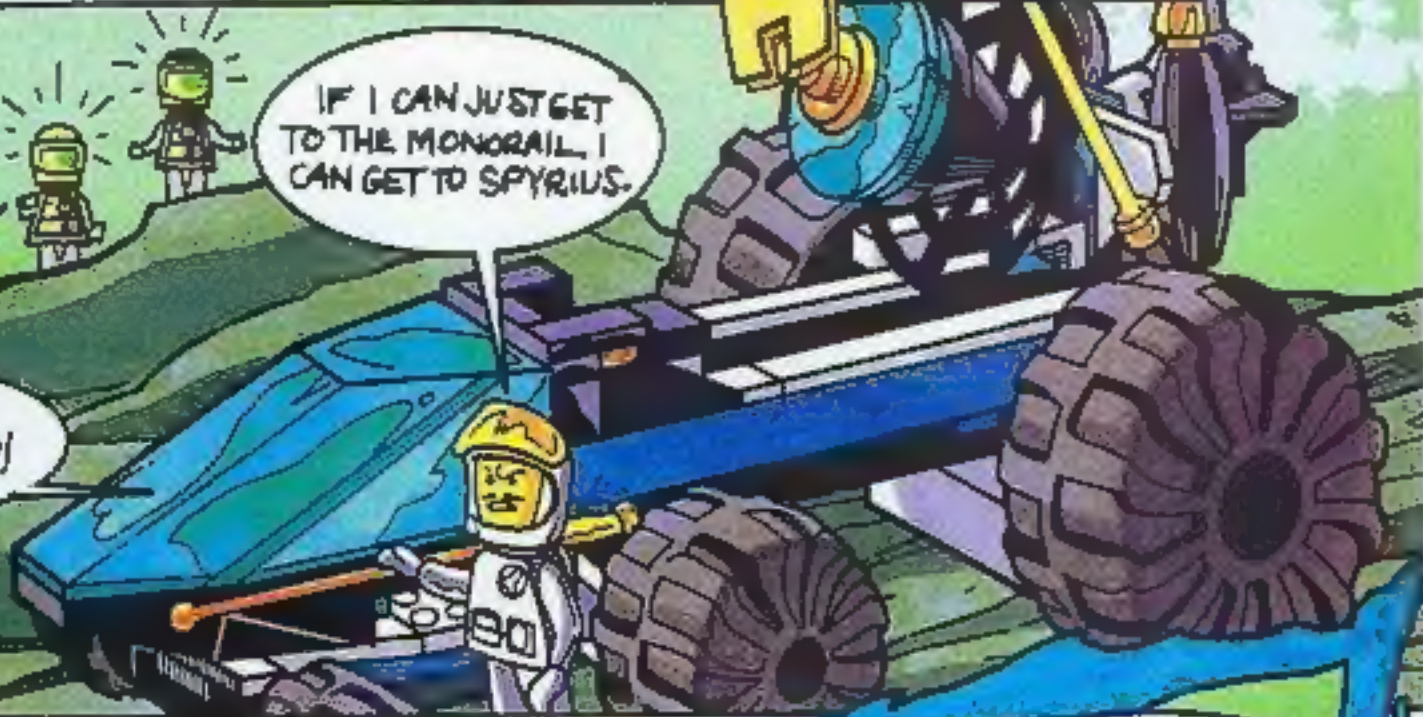
IT'S PROBABLY A METEORITE.

BWASHH

IF I CAN JUST GET TO THE MONORAIL, I CAN GET TO SPYRIUS.

HEY! THAT'S OUR BUGGY!

WOW! THIS WILL GET ME THERE AT WARP SPEED! NICE WHEELS!



YOU UNITRON DUDES ARE TOAST. I'M OUTTA HERE!

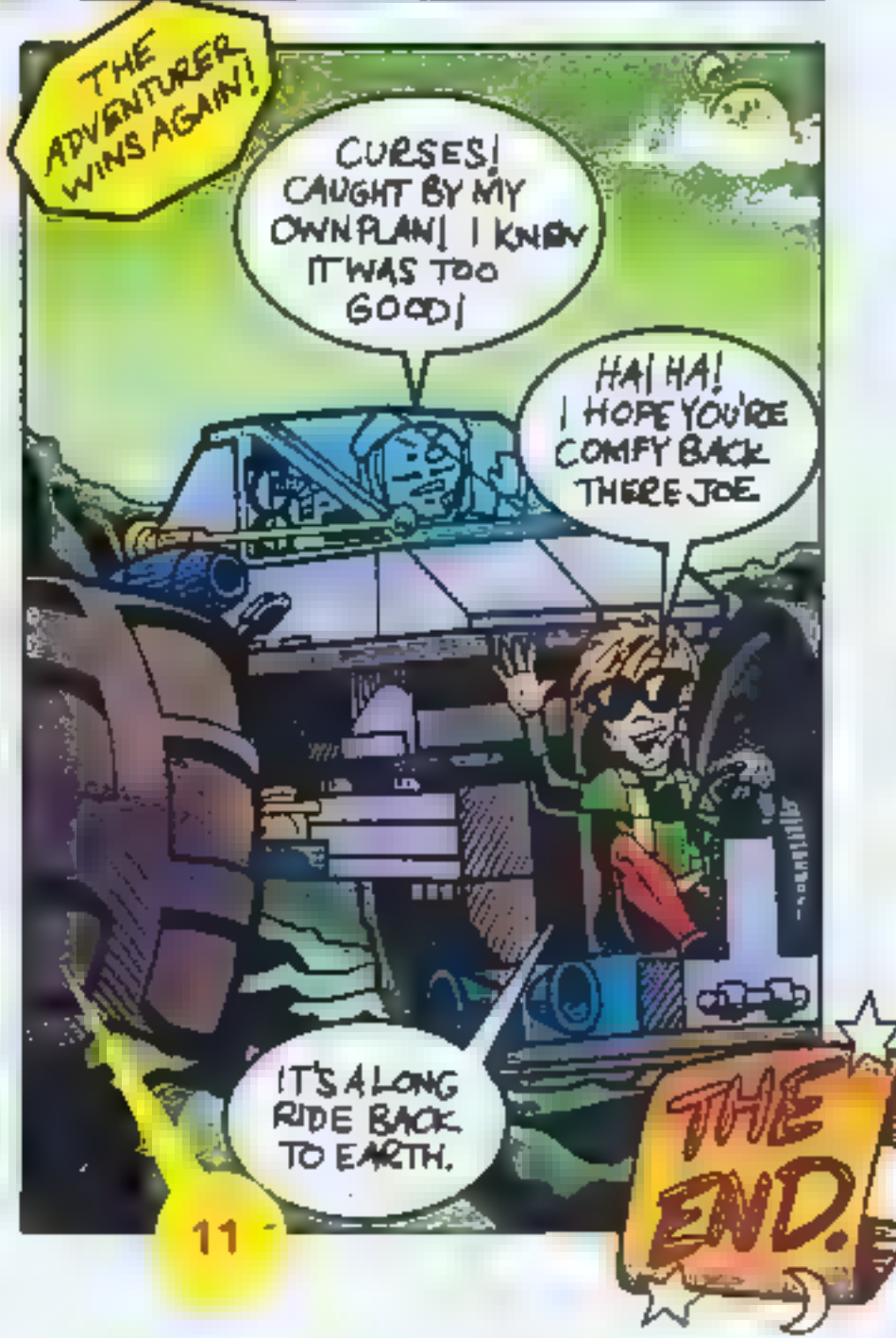
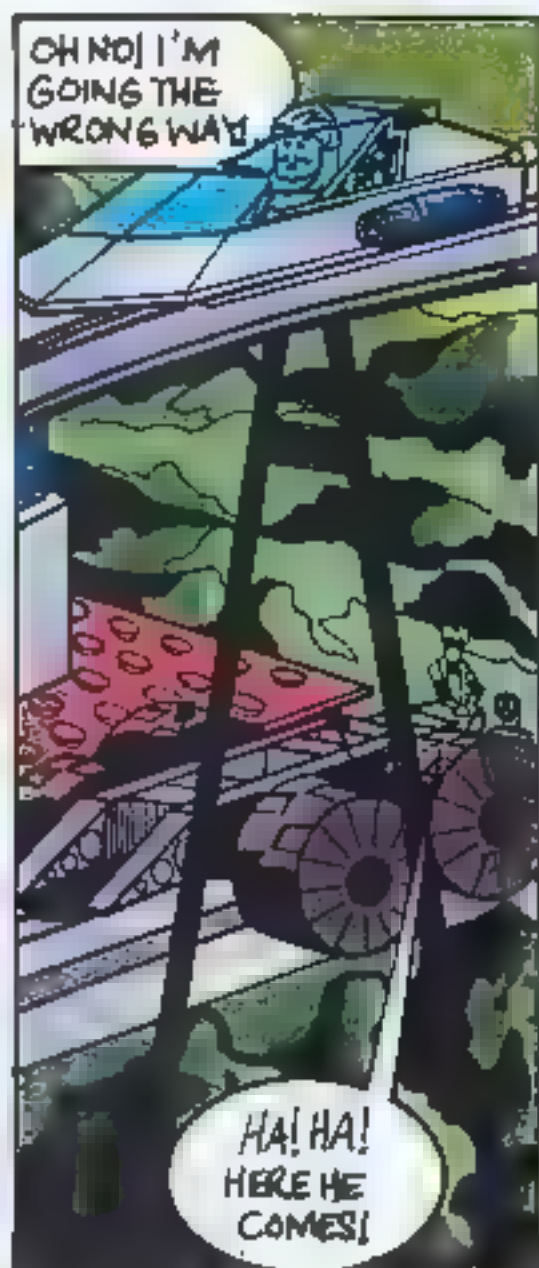
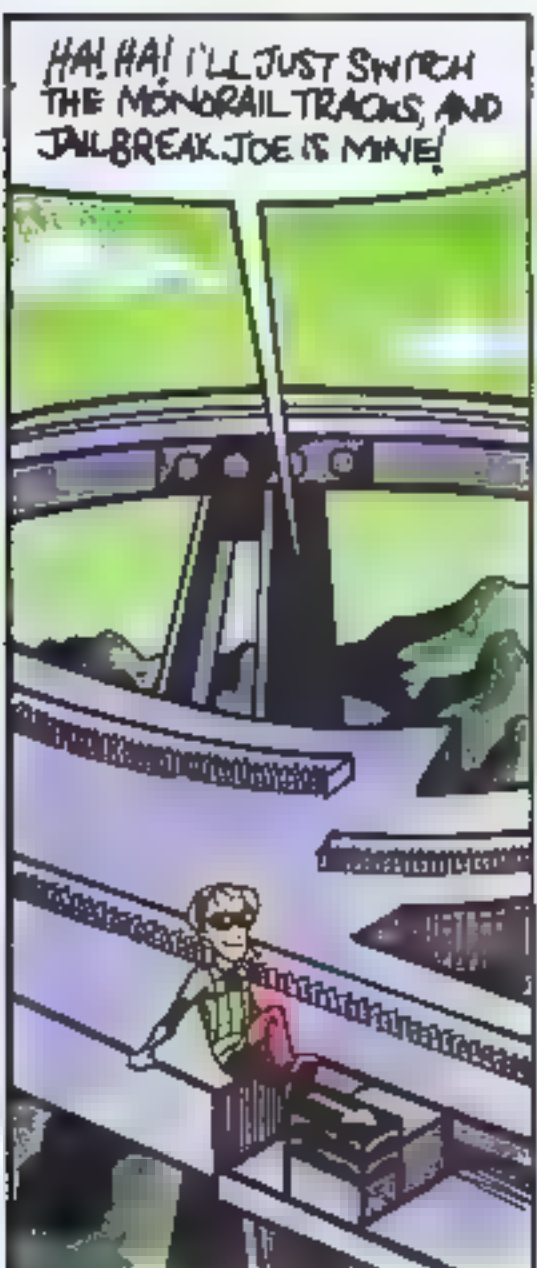
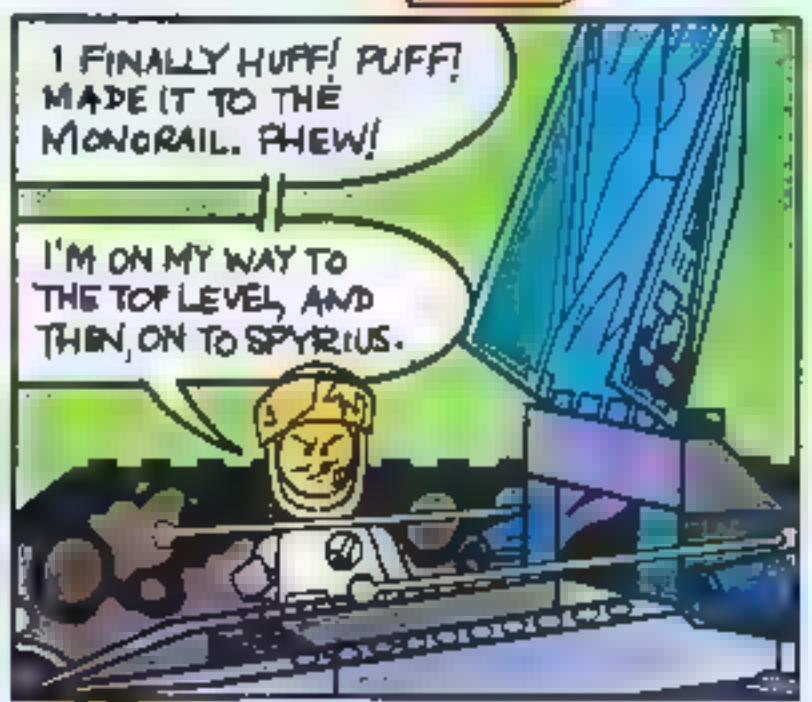
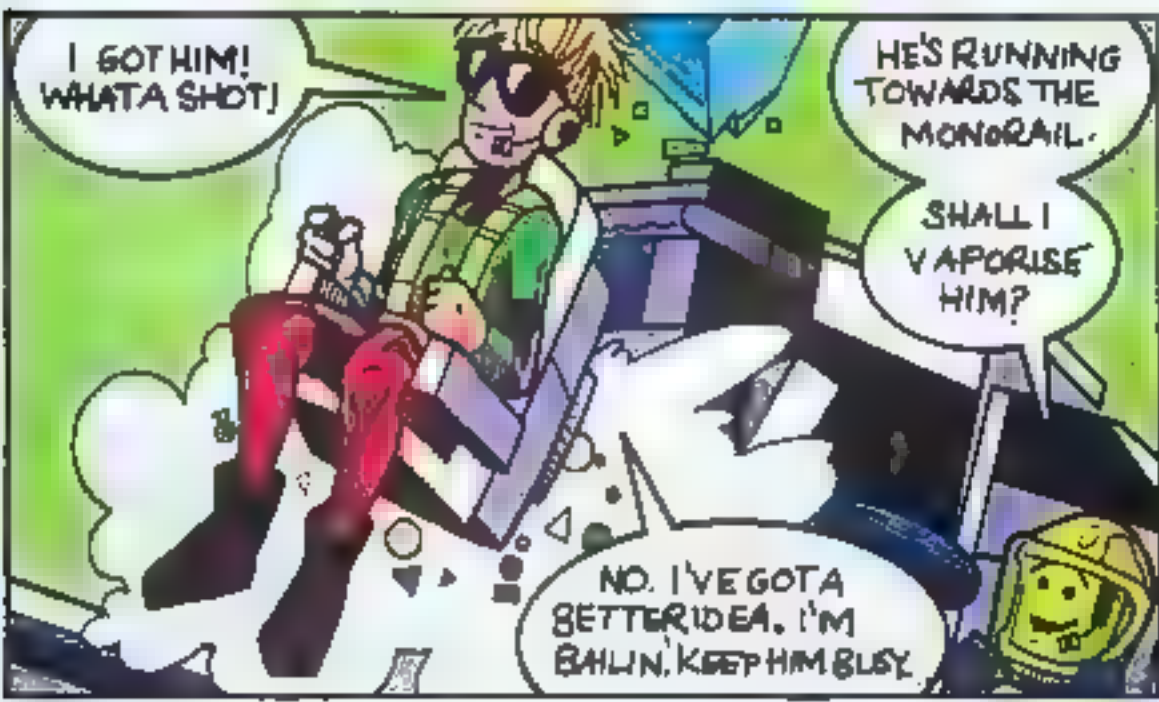
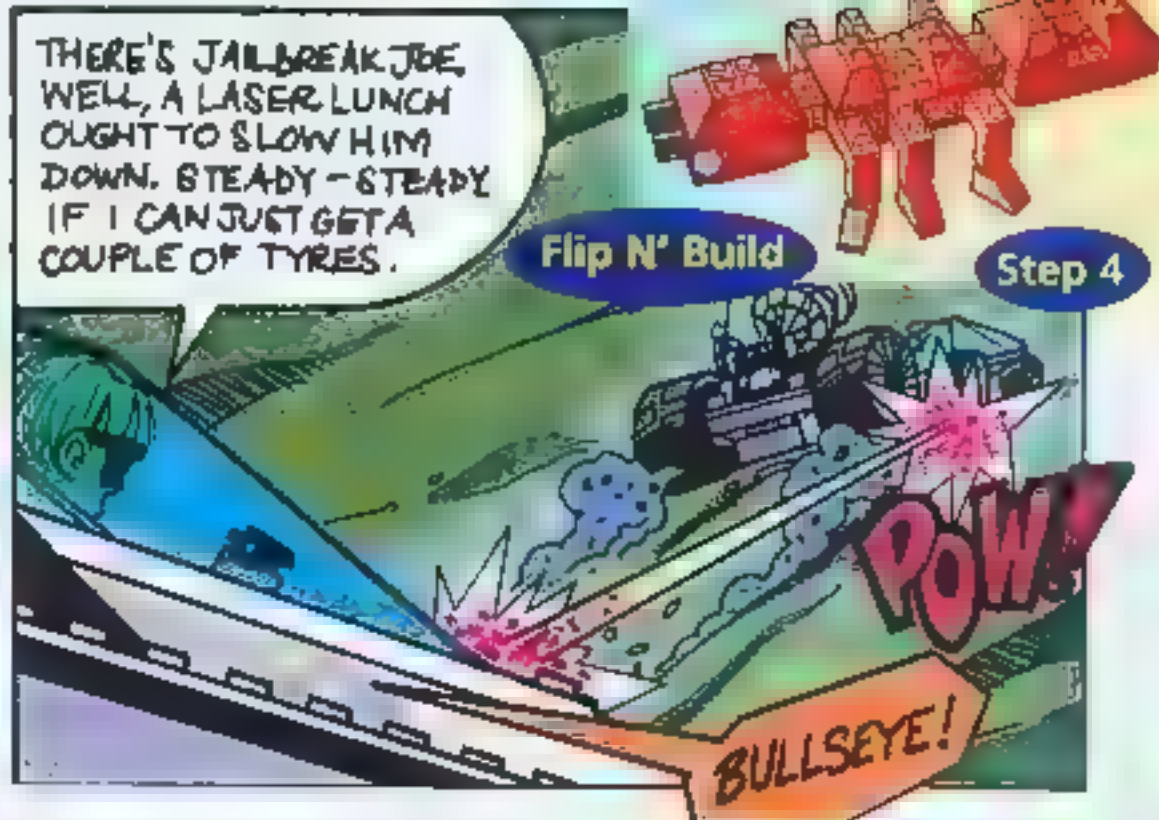
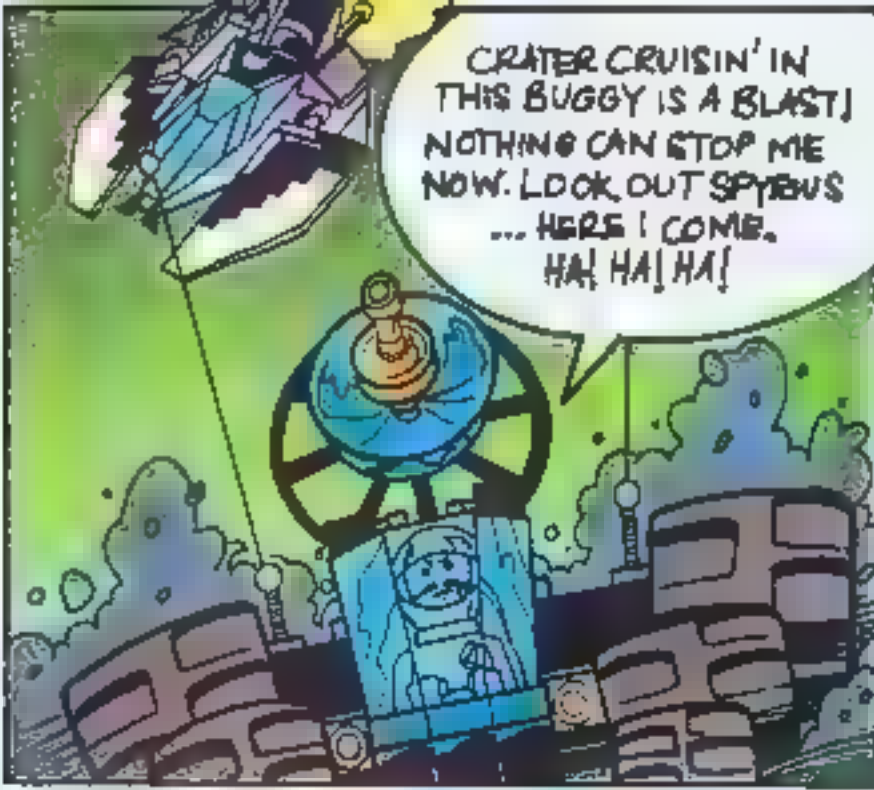


HELP! THIS IS EXPEDITION ONE. OUR CRUISER HAS BEEN STOLEN BY JAILBREAK JOE. HE'S HEADING TOWARDS THE MONORAIL.

THIS QUICK LAUNCHING STAR HAWK. IT WILL GET THE JOB DONE

COME ON, WE'LL CATCH JOE. ADIOS AMIGOS!



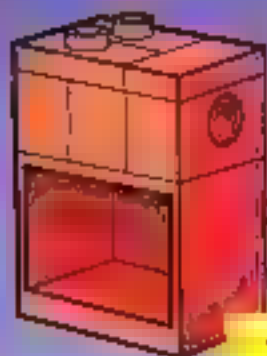


Quick Build ROBOT

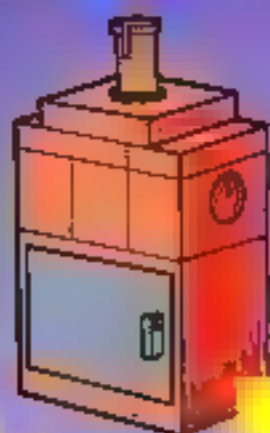
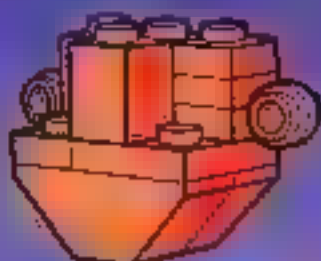
HEY! Check out this great idea to build a smart robot! using pieces from your own collection. It's easy - just follow the seven steps! Should take about 15 mins. Time yourself and good luck!



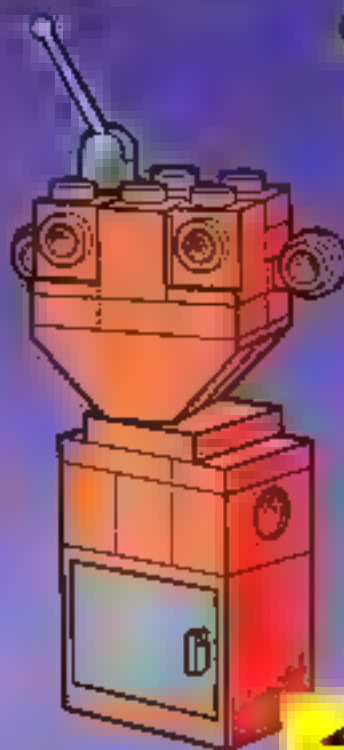
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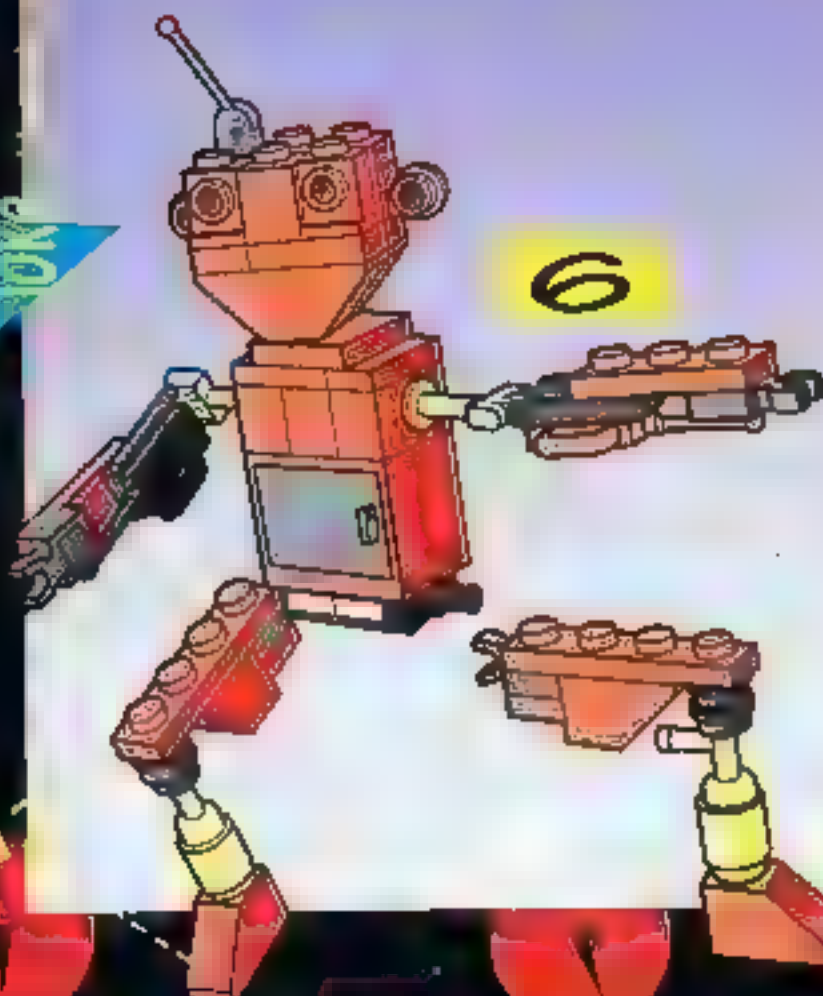
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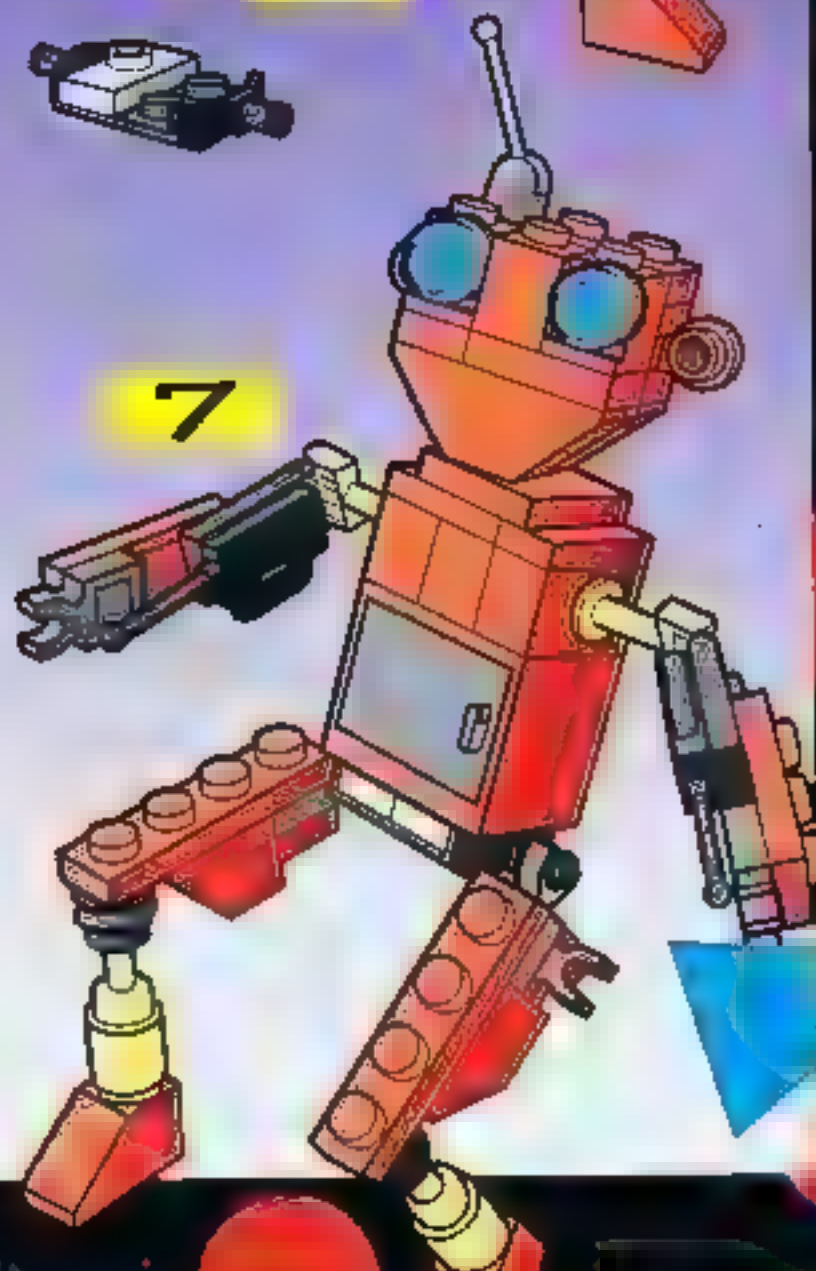
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Answer: A jungle saucer

Where do you see him?

HELICOPTER

WORD SEARCH

Winner of the competition

'A day out with Mike'

is Lloyd Christopher Thomas, aged 8, from Minera, North Wales. Lloyd gets to visit the helicopter at Liverpool Airport and also wins a great LEGO Town set. Watch out for more news of his prize day out in the next issue!

The 20 runners-up who each win LEGO Town Sets are:

Mark Reed, Bishops Cleeve
Lianne Abel, Tunbridge Wells
Jason Lister, Gainsborough
Master P. Newman, Beaconsfield
Andrew Palfrey, Felixstowe

Mark Stanley, Stoke-on-Trent
Rebecca Calvert, Maidenhead
Ainsley Hawksworth, Halifax
Sebastian Finnigan, Peterborough
Steven Pollock, Glasgow

Alex Berland, Reading
Phillip Handley, Gullford
Sam Barber, Brigg
Lawrie Hooper, Caerphilly
David Jones, Brighton

Adam Williamson, Fife
David Kean, Alexandria
Alex Goodall, Camberly
Thomas Holloway, Hyde
James Hapworth, Liverpool



Your Flip N'Build Ant is complete!



COMING OUT SOON

★ WESTERN

The gun slinging, gold digging world of WESTERN will be pulling a fast draw into the shops soon.

Defending the gold and loot by rooting out those 'most wanted' is the call of the cavalry of Fort Apache.

Help protect the good townsfolk by running the villainous Coyote gang out of Silver City into the surrounding desert.



Travelling through time the Time Cruisers will soon be here and landing in the shops.

Navigating their way through the depths of time, visiting places past and present, they are about to share their adventures...

Time travel in the Time Cruiser Flybo, a flying, sailing, wheeling vessel. Or zoom back to the Time Cruiser Labo to take time out from travelling.

AVAILABLE

Aquazone is the exciting underwater world where Aquanauts battle against the thieving Aquasharks who steal the life-giving crystals.

Climb aboard Aquanaut Turbo Amphib and join them in defeating the Aquashark Sea Wolf, the sinister shark-like craft used by the Aquasharks.

Or search the sea beds at the wheel of the Aquanaut DSRV II, gathering the special crystals. But watch out! The Octopus appears when you least expect it!

AQUAZONE



AQUASHARKS

TOURING SHOWS

Did you know?
Over 1½ million people see a LEGO show every year!

AQUAZONE

- Princes Quay, Hull
15th - 29th June
- Nicholson Walk, Maidenhead
6th - 20th July
- Port Arcades, Ellesmere Port
27th July - 10th August
- Hempstead Centre, Gillingham
17th - 30th August
- Robbs, Hexham
6th - 28th September
- Kingfisher Centre, Redditch
12th - 26th October

Crazy Builders

- Tower Centre, Ballymena
7th - 22nd June
- Mander Centre, Wolverhampton
9th - 24th August
- Dolphin Centre, Poole
30th August - 14th September
- Shires Centre, Leicestershire
1st - 14th October
- Treaty Centre, Hounslow
18th October - 2nd November
- Plantasia Centre, Swansea
6th December - January '97

Red Eagle Competition

We had a fantastic response to this competition.

The prizes, the new Red Eagle sets (16015), have now been sent out to all the winners. Congratulations to all who won!



WHAT
WOULD YOU
BUILD WITH

25,000,000

LEGOLAND
WINDSOR

Thousands of lucky
LEGO Club members had
a special preview of the
New LEGOLAND Windsor
Theme Park shortly
before it opened. Here's
how they celebrated....



Full steam ahead!
See LEGOLAND
by train.



Where do
we begin?



Take a
spin
under
this
giant
spider!

PIRATE
CAMP FIRE

Done to
a turn!

HEY KIDS! BRR! What a
cold day to visit LEGOLAND Windsor! We
bet your teeth were chattering. **BUT HEY!**
Look at all those cool dudes!

It's a wild place - over **25 million** LEGO bricks
and **thousands** of LEGO models. Rides, shows,
building workshops ... oh! and Miniland,
with 800 model buildings and 700
trains, cars, ships, cranes and tiny
people. Cool, huh?

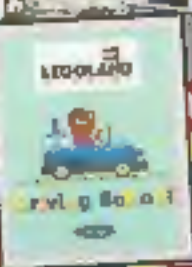
My Town is smart - there's a clown
stunt show in the harbour. You can
learn real tricks in the Magic Theatre
and ride the high wire in Brickadilly's Circus.



LEGO BRICKS



"WOW! Over 800 buildings and 700 other models in Miniland!"



Everyone gets a LEGO Driving Licence at LEGO Traffic



WELL DONE!

OOPS!

Wild Woods is great - pan for pirate gold and get a medal if you find any ... ride the Pirate Falls ... or dare the dreaded Rat Trap Death Drop. Aagh!

You can get into a jam and get a real LEGO driving licence at LEGO Traffic. Our picture shows the first two kids to get a licence. Congratulations!



OPENING TIMES

10am to 6pm daily 29th March to 29th September (until 8pm July/August) Plus weekends and half term week in October.





10643

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Club Shop Items

New T-Shirt			
10641	size	5-6yrs	£4.25
10642		7-8yrs	£4.75
10643		9-11yrs	£4.75
10644	12-14(price includes VAT)		£5.50
1065	Explorien Keyring		£1.20
1066	Parker Rollerball Pen		
	+2 FREE Papermate stick pens		£3.95
1067	New LEGO pen		.79
1050	Pencil Case		£1.75
1063	Police Keyring		.95
1054	Watch		£18.95
1041	Stickers		.50
1003	Letter Pad		£1.20
1048	Red Cap		£1.50
1051	Lunch Box		£2.95
1062	Address Book		.95
Postage & Packing			.60

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with 2 Free
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